

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 2-4 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter set forth therein.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of claims:

1. (currently amended) A molding composition comprising (A) a fibrous material, (B) a crystalline unsaturated polyester, (C) a non-crystalline unsaturated polyester, and (D) a radical generator, and

wherein the non-crystalline unsaturated polyester has at least one of a softening point of 80°C or higher and lower than 200°C and a glass transition point of 40°C or higher and lower than 100°C, and

wherein the crystalline unsaturated polyester has a melting point of 60°C or higher and lower than 180°C and

wherein the difference between the melting point of the crystalline unsaturated polyester and the softening point of the non-crystalline unsaturated polyester is 50°C or smaller and

wherein said molding composition has a flexural strength of 160 kgf/cm² or more and

wherein said composition is substantially free of styrene.

2-4. (canceled)

5. (original) A molding composition according to claim 1, which comprises 29 to 99% by weight of the fibrous material, 0.5 to 70% by weight, in total, of the crystalline unsaturated polyester and the non-crystalline unsaturated polyester, and 0.1 to 30% by weight of the radical generator.

6. (previously presented) A molding composition according to claim 1, wherein said composition contains 10 to 90% by weight of the crystalline unsaturated polyester and 90 to 10% by weight of the non-crystalline unsaturated polyester based on the total of the crystalline unsaturated polyester and the non-crystalline unsaturated polyester.

7. (original) A molded article obtained by molding the molding composition according to claim 1.

8. (original) A molded article according to claim 7, which has flexural strength of 160 kgf/cm² or more.

9-10. (canceled)

11. (previously presented) The molding composition of claim 1, wherein the molding composition has flexural strength of 160 kg/cm² or more, when measured in accordance with JIS K6911.

12. (previously presented) An article made of the composition according to claim 1, wherein the article is selected from the group consisting of a sound absorbing interior automotive part, heat insulating materials, sound absorbing material for a soundproof chamber, a sound absorber of an air-conditioner, a fiber-reinforced plastic, and constructional material.